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# STATEMENT OF THE CORRECT PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT: BASIS(ES) UNDER § 1.702 FOR THE ADJUSTMENT (37 C.F.R. § 1.705(b)(2)(i) and (ii))

Sir:

- 1. Applicant submits this statement in support of the "REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT INDICATED IN NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE" to which this statement is attached.
- 2. The patent term adjustment shown on the Notice of Allowance is 172 days. It is respectfully suggested that the correct patent term adjustment under § 1.702 is: 560 days.
- 3. Per 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(a), the relevant dates are:

05-02-2001 (day 0)	Filing date of the application
07-02-2002 (day 426)	14-month point after Filing date
11-20-2003 (day 932)	Mailing date of the first Action
02-20-2004 (day 1,024)	3-month point after the first Action
05-20-2004 (day 1,114)	Reply date to the first Action
09-20-2004 (day 1,237)	4-month point after Reply date
02-11-2005 (day 1,381)	Mailing date of Notice of Allowance

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- 4. The basis(es) on which applicant seeks adjustment are as follows:
  - 1) Per 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(a)(1), the number of days of adjustment should include 506 days (932-426=506).
  - 2) Per 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(a)(2), the number of days of adjustment should include 144 days (1,114-1,237=144).
  - 3) Per 37 C.F.R. § 1.704(a)-(b), the number of days of adjustment should be reduced by 90 days (1,114-1,024=90) for Applicant's failure to engage.
  - 4) The Patent Term Adjustment History in the Office's PAIRS system is in accord with the above § 1.703(a)(1) calculation, and not correctness of that is not disputed.
  - 5) In contrast, however, the Patent Term Adjustment History is NOT in accord with the above § 1.703(a)(2) and § 1.704(a)-(b) calculations, and Applicant DOES dispute correctness of the adjustment shown on the Notice of Allowance in this respect.
  - 6) Respectfully, we urge that the errors made can be attributed to the following:
    - a) The Office's Patent Term Adjustment History wrongly shows an entry dated 09-03-2004 and described as "Workflow incoming amendment IFW." By review of the file it can be seen that on that date Applicant actually submitted a status request into why application prosecution was stalled.
    - b) This History also wrongly shows an entry dated 01-19-2005 and described as "Response after Non-Final Action." By review of the file it can be seen that on that date Applicant actually submitted a copy of its original response of 05-20-2004 in reply to a request by the Office (initiated by the Office's discovery that it had misplaced Applicant's original response at some point after having received it on 05-20-2004).
  - 7) Accordingly, per 37 C.F.R. § 1.703(f), the number of days of adjustment sought is 560 days (506+144-90=560).

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# REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT INDICATED IN NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE (37 C.F.R. § 1.705)

Sir:

- 1. Applicant herby requests reconsideration of the patent term adjustment indicated in the Notice of Allowance mailed on 02/11/2005.
  - The issue fee is being paid as set forth in the papers attached hereto.
- 2. Applicant submits herewith a "Statement of the Correct Patent Term Adjustment: Basis(es) Under § 1.702 For the Adjustment--Part B." (37 C.F.R. § 1.705(b)(2)(i) and (ii)).
- 3. Any patent granted on this application (37 C.F.R. § 1.705(b)(2)(iii)
  - is not subject to a terminal disclaimer.
- 4. As to circumstances during the prosecution of this application constituting a failure to engage in reasonable efforts to conclude processing or examination of this application as set forth in § 1.704 (37 C.F.R. § 1.705(b)(2)(iv)):

 $\bowtie$  these were as follows (37 C.F.R. § 1.705(b)(2)(iv)(A)):

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In responding to the Office Action dated 11/20/2003, having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire 3 (three) months thereafter, Applicant sought and was granted an extension of time to reply extending through 05/20/2004, ant the Offices records show that Applicant did reply on 05/20/2004.

- 5. The fee set forth in § 1.18(e) (\$200.00), required by 37 C.F.R § 1.705(b)(1), is paid as follows:
  - Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$200.00,
    - to Deposit Account No. 08-3240.
  - Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.

A duplicate of this paper is attached.

6. Applicant also respectfully requests that its payment for this request be refunded, since this request is necessitated by error on the part of the Office.

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**COMMENTS:** 

Attached for filing are the following documents:

1. Request for Reconsideration of Patent Term Adjustment Indicated in Notice

of Allowance;

- 2. Statement of the Correct Patent Term Adjustment:
- 3. Patent Issue Fee Transmittal;
- 4. Part B Fee Transmittal (in duplicate).

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